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Clayton Stocks S & S Mining Co. Box 907 Moab, UT 84532

> RE: Red Rock Mine ACT/037/050 San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Stocks:

The Division is in receipt of the Notice of Intention to Commence Mining Operations which your attorney, Robert Ruggeri, submitted to our office June 7, 1982. Although in agreement with the provisions of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-6, UCA, 1953, the actual forms submitted have been superseded during May of this year and approved for use by the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining at the last hearing.

Rather than fill up endless pages with comments concerning the additional information the Division will need to process your application, I am enclosing a copy of the new form which, as you may see, goes into more detail. In addition, I feel it will benefit both your company and the State if you would call our office and request that a Pre-Design Conference be arranged to accommodate your needs. This meeting will entail the gathering of representatives of the Department of Health, Division of Water Rights, and the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining along with you or your staff to inform you of all possible permits which you will need before lawfully commencing to mine in the State of Utah. It may be possible that same day to discuss any items which are unclear in the new form MR-1 at a separate meeting with the Division.

Until such time as the Division is able to review an adequate presentation of information relating to your proposed operation, please refrain from any on-site activities.

Again, please call the Division and set up an appointment with either Jim Smith or myself.

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